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Digital Payment Security Alliance
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Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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(a) whether Google India and the Ministry has jointly launched "Digital Payment Security Alliance" initiative to create community awareness on safe and secure digital practice and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether Google, in collaboration with the Ministry also announced "Digital Unlocked" initiative to train one lakh artisans per year across India and enable them to tap into newer markets through improved visibility of their products on internet; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

(a): No, Sir.

(b) and (c): No, Sir. With the target of 2500 crore digital transactions in the financial year 2017-18, there will be 8 fold increase in digital transactions. Therefore, it becomes imperative to strengthen the security of digital payments ecosystem. Strengthening the cyber security is a continuous process and can be achieved by participation of all stakeholders including private players such as Google India.

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